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Applicant

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INFORMATION-PROCESSING DEVICE

Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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REPLY

Sir:

In response to the Office action of August 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.